Statement

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Cost of power generation per unit

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Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what had been the cost of power generation per units at Neyveli by using lignite during the last three years, year-wise; and

(b) what had been the cost of power generation per unit by using coal in Tamil Nadu Thermal power plants during the last three years, year-wise and plant-wise?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) The cost of power generation per unit in the lignite-based thermal power station I of Neyveli Lignite Corporation at Neyveli was as follows:

	Paise/KW Hr
1983-84	29·76
1984-85	32·5
1985-86	34·41

(b) As per information available, the cost of power generation per unit in the coal-based Tamil Nadu thermal power plants was as follows:

	Paise/KWHr.		
	1983-84	1984-85	1985-86
Ennore	64·93	61·55	51·02
Tuticorin	70·65	58·61	59·72
Basin Bridge	148·29	176·08	183·48